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THE annual statement just made public of the condition of Omaha's seven national banks is a flattering exhibit.

THE south side is still straining its eyes for a sight of the promised street car extensions. From present indications the rival companies are spending their energies track-laying in the direction of Fort Omaha.

THE people of Yankton are making every effort to secure railroad connection with this city. Omaha cannot do less than meet them half way and thereby secure access to the most fertile portion of South Dakota.

THE contract which was made last fall for the laying of the permanent walk about Jefferson square should be immediately enforced by the proper authorities. Too much latitude was given the contractors in this instance.

THE record of exports from this country for the current year shows that large shipments of raw products and manufactured articles are being consigned to Canada, Mexico, South and Central America. This is an encouraging sign.

THE residents along the Belt line want better suburban accommodations. especially in the evening. This request is respectfully referred to the attion of the Missouri Pacific author ities as an indication of the necessity of adequate local train service.

No sooner was the first criminal in New York who is to suffer death by electricity condemned, that his attorney at once took exception on the ground that the sentence was "cruel and unusual." It is evidently not alone drowning men who catch at straws.

THE people have almost forgotten the Douglas county election cases. The democratic legislative delegates, however, just hauled into court for refusing to pay for stenographic reports of the contest have every reason in the world to keep it green in memory. The time has come for them to pay the fiddler.

THE absence of General Hugh J. Campbell will be felt in the constitutional convention that is to be held at Sioux Falls on the fourth of July. While General Campbell is doubtlessly eccentric, ho is, nevertheless, the brainiest man that has been identified with the statehood movement in Dakota. It is to be regretted that, through political conniving, he has been relegated to the rear at a time when he could be of the greatest service. General Campbell has been a most earnest advocate of statehood. His loyal devotion to the cause deserved recognition.

THE Herald quotes an old law to sustain its claim that a two-thirds vote is necessary to carry school bonds in Omaha. The act 'relative to schools in metropolitan cities," approved March 31, 1887, section 28, provides that "if a majority of the ballots polled at such an election shall be for issuing bonds, the said board of education may issue bonds in such an amount as shall be named in the election notice." This provision does not require to be rubbed in to convince an ordinary mind.

ROCK ISLAND officials repudiate the report that the company intends leasing the Union Pacific ox-bow from Omaha to Beatrice. The absurdity of the story refuted itself. It is merely a question of time before the company builds an independent line from Omaha to a junction with the Colorado line at or near Fairbury. It must necessarily be as short as practicable to successfully compete with the Burlington. The Rock Island company "is not a rainbow chaser" nor an asylum for white elephant railroads.

THERE is a million seven hundred thousand dollars more on deposit in the seven national banks of this city to date as compared with a year ago. This is certainly a gratifying showing. When it is taken into consideration that this amount does not represent the savings of the community in the hands of savings and private banks, trust companies and the like in Omaha, but the greater part of the cash and securities used in daily business transactions, the statement well reflects the healthy growth of Omaha and the wealth of our

"MERCHANTS WEEK."

The second recurrence in Boston of 'Merchants' week," an institution for promoting the commercial interests of that city which had its origin there, closed last Saturday. As it has been proposed to adopt this plan in Omaha the results of Boston's experience will be interesting. We infer from what is while these have not been altogether discouraging they were not generally of the plan is to call in traveling salesmen to entertain visiting customers, and the Advertiser remarks that doubtless in many instances the expense thus incurred, and the consequent falling off of the regular trade, is not counterbalanced by the returns from orders taken direct during the week. But this feature is not absolutely essential, for, although visiting merchants would find it pleasant to meet familiar faces, it is really desirable that they shall be thrown more closely into contact with the heads of firms and cordial relations established between principals. There is no reason why the visiting merchants could not be quite as well taken care of in the absence of the traveling salesmen, these being left free to canvass among the merchants who should not accept the privileges of "mer-chants' week." It is quite probable, therefore, that if it is decided to continue the plan in Boston the feature of calling in salesmen will be largely done away with as involving an unnecessary outlay. But even the somewhat disappointing

results do not, in the opinion of the Advertiser, go to prove that merchants' week, as an institution, is a failure. It remarks in its wider conception it is not primarily to be considered as a season for booming trade. Its chief purpose is rather to create among outof-town retail merchants a stronger interest in the market from which they buy, "by personally meeting the heads of the wholesale houses and by seeing for themselves that which they cannot appreciate by inspecting a drummer's samples." To the average retailer, says the Advertiser, a piece of cloth, or a bag of coffee, is a commodity merely, and quality and price being equal, he buys of the drummer who has won his confidence without much regard to what city he represents. The influence of "Merchants' week" tends largely to dispel this indifference, and it has been demonstrated in the experience of many Boston houses that it has

this effect. The conclusion of the Advertiser is that the results thus far experienced by the several trades are such as to warrant the belief that increasing benefits will accrue from its continuance, with such modifications in the detail of its management as are shown by experience to be desirable. Having the experience of Boston to guide them, the merchants of Omaha can have little difficulty in determining whether or not it is desirable to try here this novel expedient for promoting trade.

GROWTH OF BANKING.

Not very long ago there was a general complaint of the impending decadence of banking. It was represented that the national banking sysem especially was in a rapid decl and that unless congress promptly did something to enable the system to exist, particularly in the matter of providing a new basis for circulation, it must soon succumb. Senator Sherman and other cool and clear-headed financiers pointed out that there was no such danger im: minent, and statistics show the accuracy of their judgment.

The American Banker presents some interesting statistics regarding the growth of banking, from which it appears that while the banks have been losing on one side one hundred and eighty-five millions of their circulation, they have been gaining on the other side three hundred and twenty millions of deposits. "In other words," says that publication, "the beneficent compensative law of deposit banking has been at work. For every one hundred dollars lost in circulation the banks have augmented their volume of banking power by one hundred and seventy-three dollars of new deposits. The creative natural laws of deposit-banking have increased the loaning power and efficient force of our banks in the productive work of the country by seventy-three per cent in this movement alone." It is, therefore, not a matter of wonder that the national banking system has continued

to grow.

The extent of this growth is shown in the fact that there are now three thousand two hundred and eight banks loaning more than seventeen hundred million dollars, against two thousand one hundred and thirty-two banks in 1881, loaning less than twelve hundred million dol-With the growth of national lars. banks there has also been an increase of all the other banks of every sort throughout the country. During last year nine hundred and ninety-four new banks were created, while for the present year to April 30 the total number of banks organized, national, state and private, was four hundred and six, against three hundred and fortyseven for the corresponding period of last year. It will thus be seen that the predictions of the prophets of evil have not been verified, but on the contrary are shown to have been baseless, unless it be assumed that the capital which has entered so largely into banking enterprises is going blindly to destruction. In time congress will be called upon, if the national system is to be maintained, to make provision for continuing it by providing a new basis of circulation, and when that time is reached, the question will be one of commanding importance. Just at present it is not generally so regarded. The statistics of the growth of national banks would seem to indicate that there

Wis are in receipt of the Los Angeles Tribune containing comparative figures of the cost of projected improvements in Omaha and Los Angeles for the

all the interests involved.

is no lack of confidence that congress

will find a practicable way of continu-

ing the system with a just regard for

made to appear at somewhat of a disadvantage. The Tribune quotes the conservative figures given some time since in THE BEE, which place the projected improvements for the current year at a little less than nine million dollars, and follows with a statement of what Los Angeles is promised at a cost of over thirteen million said by the Advertiser of that city that dollars. Omaha is not the least bit envious of the enterprising California city. There is no rivalry of what was hoped for. One of the features | interests between them, and each can regard the progress and prosperity of the other with the heartiest satisfaction. But there can be no impropriety in suggesting to the Tribune that had it been as conservative as THE BEE in presenting the figures of projected improvements it would have been compelled to reduce the total by several millions. We stated the amount reasonably certain to be expended for improvements this year, while it is obvious that our contemporary has, in at least several cases, given the full estimated cost of improvements which will be distributed over two or three years. For example, the Los Angeles cable company contemplates laying forty-seven miles of track, which with equipment and engine houses it is estimated will cost four million dollars, and this amount heads the Tribune's showing of the aggregate sum to be expended for improvements this year. Los Angeles can be congratulated if it has forty-seven miles of cable road within the next three years, and the expenditure for this improvement in the present year will very likely not exceed one-third of the estimated total cost. So as to some of the other projected improvements, while a number of them are already possessed by Omaha and have been paid for. We right cordially congratulate Los Angeles upon its enterprise, prosperity and progress, but it must not boast indiscreetly. It is yet a long way behind Omaha, and will have to do some very brisk marching to catch up, if that be

> THE statements of representatives of the Iowa roads show pretty clearly that these roads are not solely to blame for the lack of stock shipments to South Omaha from the east. The trouble is nearer home. First and foremost is the exorbitant bridge toll of the Union Pacific. One dollar a mile for six miles of switching is virtually prohibitory. Iowa stock shippers are not in the business for their health. If they cannot reach Omaha on terms equal with other markets, the city cannot hope to secure their trade, With young and energetic markets springing up at various points in that state, without bridge tolls to retard their growth, Omaha will find it impossible to establish a permanent stock trade with fowa unless substantial inducements in rates and prices are assured. The first essential is a reduction of bridge tolls. Having secured that, the managers of the stockyards should send agents into Iowa and demonstrate to shippers that the Omaha market is the most profitable place to deal. This is one way to secure the coveted business. Prompt action and less complaining is necessary.

possible under any circumstances.

IT WILL cause not a little surprise to learn from the statistician of the agricultural department that outside of cotton, tobacco, meats, flour, butter and cheese, all other commodities together are about three per cent of the exports from this country. With respect to corn, Europe does not take one-half of the yield of any one of our corn producing states. This would indicate that after all the United States depends on a home market for the consumption of agricultural products.

MISSOURI passed a bill recently making option trading in grain a misdemeanor. In other words, futures in corn, wheat or oats can not be bought or sold unless the parties own the grain and can make a bona fide transfer. Last year the actual transactions in grain aggregated something like forty million bushels, while options for the same grain were traded to the amount of one hundred and fifty million bushels. It is safe to predict that the law will remain a dead letter in St. Louis.

In comparison with the mineral production of the United States, Canada makes an insignificant exhibit. The government has just issued an estimate of the mineral wealth of the Dominion for 1888 and places its value at sixteen and one-half millions. This is equal to about one-thirtieth of the value of the production from the American mines for the corresponding period.

THE right of suffrage extended to women in Omaha to vote for members of the school board, does not include the right to vote for the issue of bonds or the expenditure of money for educational purposes. That is a distinction evidently which the lady who offered her ballot at the school bond election had not clearly defined in her mind.

IT is said that the Union Pacific railroad paid taxes in 1888 on its main line to an amount thirty per cent in excess of that of 1887. On the Kansas division in 1888 over one hundred thousand dollars was paid in excess of the amount of taxes met the year previous. There is just a whit of encouragement in this statement. The question is, how much of its property remained untaxed?

THE state board of equalization proposes to inspect the lines and improvements of the Union Pacific railroad in Nebraska during the remaining days of this week. . If they accomplish the feat in so short a time, they possess a capacity for work which would make Matthew Arnold turn in his grave.

LOCAL politicians hankering for official position in Washington should keep their eye on the fact that a civil service examination for clerkships in the government offices takes place in Omaha next week. But on second thought, politicians are not in the habit of taking official pap in that way.

THE farmers of Brown county, Kansas, propose to erect a large manufactory of binding twine, at Hiawatha. There present year, from which this city is I is evidently a double purpose in this

project, which, if successful, will not alone stimulate the culture of flax, but will relieve the farmers from depend-

ence on the binding twine trusts. HITS AND MISSES.

protest too much" in regard to Omaha stock shipments. A large and voracious surplus of beggars

and fakirs patrol the suburbs. Police calls are few and far between. "What has become of those extensions

promised when the cable and horse car lines consolidated?" enquires a contemporary. Go north, young man, go north! A few dozen cots would add immensely to the natural beauties of Jefferson square. If

it is to be continued as the bedroom of loaferdom, the city should provide proper accommodations. The postoffice civil service board will hold a convention next Thursday. Applicants for federal office must submit their photographs

and brief biographies for examination and

sober consideration. The cry of boodle again fills the Lincoln air. It is not surprising. If a few brief months passed away without a stir of that kind, it would be proof positive of municipal decay. Boodle is the ozone of capital life. The town was not created for its healthgiving qualities, but for the money there is

> Hurrah for the Northwest. Dakota Huronite.

The northwest is a grand region. It has the fastest horses, the handsomest women and the homeliest men of any section of the globe.

Civilization in Oklahoma.

Philadelphia Press. General Greenback Weaver of Iowa, and the potato bug have already appeared in Oklahoma. The vicissitudes of civilization are Reeping right up with the procession in the new territory.

Only as a Last Resort.

The fate of Mind-Reader Bishop should teach you that you should not resort to having an autopsy performed upon yourself unless everything else has failed.

His Royal Prerogative.

The heir apparent to the throne of Russia has arrived at his majority amid general rejoicing on the part of his father's faithful subjects. He is now entitled to a seat in the council of the empire and to occupy a royal chili-steel bomb-proof held by him in fee

An Honorary Member.

Kansas City Journal. Alderman Sim Coy, a democrat, prominent in Indianapolis ward politics, has been residing in the penitentiary for the past year because he perpetrated election frauds. But he has drawn his salary regularly from the city, and is still a member of the city council, though perforce an inactive one.

May be Theo, Isn't Up.

St. Louid Globe-Democrat. The Hon. Theodore Rooseveit, the new civil service commissioner, very frankly observes: "I don't believe I could pass the civil service examination myself if compelled to in order to hold the office to which I have been appointed." Could there be a more significant commentary upon the absurdity of the rules and methods of that distinguished body from which we are asked to expect an improvement in the fitness and worthiness of federal appointees.

GREAT, MEN. The King of Light is what the French

have christened Edison. Secretary Blaine will spend a part of the summer at Bar Harbor.

John Greenleaf Whittier will visit friends at Portland, Me., next month. Murat Halstead will sail for Germany pext Thursday, but not as envoy extraordinary

and minister plenipotentiary. W. F. Blackmar, who will take his Ph. D degree at Johns Hopkins university in June, has just been appointed to the chair of history and sociology at the Kansas State university, Lawrence, Kan.

Congressman Archie Bliss, of Brooklyn, recently remarked: "It costs money to be a member of the house. I have been a congress man for fifteen years and have spent \$10,000 a year outside of my salary. It has cost me \$150,000 therefore to represent my constituents."

M. Roustau, the French minister to the United States, is a man of medium height, with dark hair and eyes and closely trimmed mustache. He is one of the most popular members of the diplomatic corps at Washington. He is a bachelor, fond of society, and a great diner-out.

Gladstone at dinner with the members of the staff of London Punch the other night will be a memorable occasion to everybody present. He told Burnand, the editor, and Du Maurier, the artist, any number of anecdotes about the first days of the English comic paper and also told Du Maurier that his pictures were a fashion plate to the young men of the day. Frank Dempster Sherman, the dreamy

poet, or rather "writer of society verse," used to be a retail stationer at Peekskill. It is said that owing to a splendid opinion of himself he has not met with the fame that might come to him were he more agreeable to those who could give him the proper boost. He has a morbid dislike for reporters and does not deign an introduction to one.

Dhuteep Singh is to be married. The following bans of matrimony have been observed upon the bulletin poard of the Paris Mairie: "Dhuleep Singh, profession, maharajah; son of Runjeet Singh, deceased, and widower of Bamba Muller, living at 24 rue Marbeuf, Paris, and Ada Douglas Wetherill, living at 24 rue Marbeuf, no profession, daughter of Charles Dougias Wetherill, deceased, and Sarah Charlotte, his wife, of Greemmorn (sic) England."

STATE AND TERRITORY.

Nebraska dottings. The three leading churches of York are without pastors.

The Custer county Sunday schools hold a convention at Broken Bow June 4, 5 and 6. The members of the Hastings Christian re raising funds; to build an edifice to cost \$2,000. A mad dog at Juniata bit a little son of

John Knapp and a dog and a cow before the

sheriff arrived with a gun and dispatched the rabid animal. Forest Whedon, of York, has commenced suit in the district court against the B. & M. road for \$15,000 damages for being ejected from a train four years ago.

Young Thurman, who killed Thomas Par

ker last winter near Tecumseh by shooting him in the head while he was sleeping, has been found guilty of manslaughter. The contract for boring the Hastings gas well has been let to Page Guthrie, an experienced contractor of Pittsburg, Pa., and calls for a hole 5,000 feet deep, or less, at the

option of the stockholders. Dwight King, a niueteen-year-old Lincoln young man, attempted to board a train at Hanson and fell under the wheels, his right leg being so badly crushed that amputation was necessary. He was trying to beat his

N. Janis, of Chadron, who went to Wash ington to act as interpreter for Red Cloud, has returned home, and reports that the chief is satisfied with the "talks" he had with Secretary Noble and other high offi-The commissioners of Jonnson county have

appointed John Johnson, of Sterling, sheriff to succeed William Grimes, who recently resigned the office. The appointment has caused a protest from the temperance people because Johnson kept a saloon at Sterling for several years.

Seward had a wedding the other day which was a little out of the ordinary. Mrs. Amanda Kinney, a blushing widow of forty-four years, arrived there all the way from New Jersey and was immediately married to Harry Bowers, of the mature age of twenty-It is possible that the lowa railroads "doth one. Bowers is a farm hand, and his bride is said to be worth several thousand dollars. They had been sequainted at their old home in New Jersey, and a correspondence had been kept up during the two years of his ab-

> lowa Items The dentists of Centerville have formed a There are six candidates for sheriff of Poweshiek county,

The Marshalltown glucose works consume 7,000 bushels of corn per day. Nine youths from the Grinnell college will act as waiters at a Spirit Lake hotel this sea-

Boone was too tough for the Salvation army, and it has abandoned the town for more inviting fields.

Michael Hayes, an old settler who re-cently died at Washington, had \$5,000 in gold stored away in his house when death overtook him, \$100 of it in \$1 pieces. The young lady students of the Iowa Weseyan university at Mt. Pleasant constitute a military company. They are handsomely uniformed, and handle their light rifles with

the grace and precision of veterans. For nearly six years, past, Mrs. John Vetter, living near Manson suffered from vio-lent pains in the stomach, being so violent at times that her life was dispaired of. Saturtimes that her life was dispaired of. Saturday morning she was taken with a violent fit of coughing, which lasted nearly twenty minutes, during which she turned black in the face and finally vomited up a reptile resembling a lizard, fully six inches in length and of a light green color. The lizard lived about ten minutes after being brought into

Theocore English, of Keckuk, has in his possession a valuable curiosity. It is an Indian arrow-head inserted in a vertebra from the spinal column of a United States soldier, who was killed by the Indians near Fort Kearney, W. T., in 1868. The bones of a party of men who perished in a conflict with the savages were recovered, last year, and were interred by the government Among them was the vertebra which had been cleft by the arrow-head, and its position indicates that the arrow was shot in an upward direction, and passed through the heavy muscles of the neck and buried its

Coast New Ex-Collector Brooks, of Port Townsend, has been arrested, charged with embezzle-

The republicans have a majority of thirteen in the Washington territory constitu-One of the fruit growers in San Diego county has, on less than seven acres, realized

\$3,000 during the last six months. The Spokane Falls city council has passed resolution congratulating the owners of the horse, Spokane, for the victory in the A well-known dairyman asserts that 7,500

out of the 10,000 cows which supply San Francisco with milk, are swill-fed, which is one of the great reasons for the increase in the city's death rate. The report of the secretary of the Califor-

nia board of health shows that the mortality of the state for April was at the rate of 1.18 deaths per 1,000 inhabitants, the lowest yet recorded in the history of the state. Richard Lee, wanted in Los Angeles for eighteen years ago, has been caught in Wash

ington Territory. Lee has a wife and six children, the oldest seventeen years of age, who are living at Winnemucca, Nev. Giacoma Armanino, who is evidently an insone Italian, has been amusing himself for about ten days past by putting gold coins in various letter boxes of San Jose, accompanied by a scrap of paper, acting under the de-lusion that both money and paper would be forwarded to the king of Italy.

There is now on exhibition at Portland, Ore., a horse weighing nearly 3,000 pounds. He is five years old, stands 2014 hands high, measured 32 inches around his arm, 45 inches around stiffe, 7 feet 11 inches girth, 34% round his hip, and 11 feet four inches in length. His head is 36 inches long, 11 inches onger than a flour barrel. He is a Clydes dale, and is absolutely perfect in proportion

Omaha Division Bazaar. A grand bazaar, under the auspices of Omaha division, K. of P. No. 12, will be opened in Goodrich hall on North Twenty-

fourth street, this evening. A corps of ladies has succeeded in making elaborate preparations for the event which, it is said; will be liberally patronised by members of the uniform rank in both the city and the state.

The opening evening has been set apart for the attendance of Douglas, Myrtle and Lily divisions. W. R. Goodall will give illustrated recitations on Friday and Saturday nights.

A number of voting contests will take place, the contestants being leading members of the order in this city. The bazaar wil. close Saturday night.

Members of the order in uniform will be admitted free of charge.

Run Over and Injured. Miss Lillie Dort, while crossing Douglas

street yesterday, was run over by some reck-less driver and severely injured. She was picked up insensible and carried into a drug store, where a physician attended her. Sev-eral ribs and an arm were broken. She was then carried to her home on Twenty-sixth street, where she now lies in a critical No Day Named

expected to visit Omaha to-day, but Mr. Nason received a letter from the secretary Nason received a letter from the secretary to day saying that they had not fixed a date as yet for their excursion.

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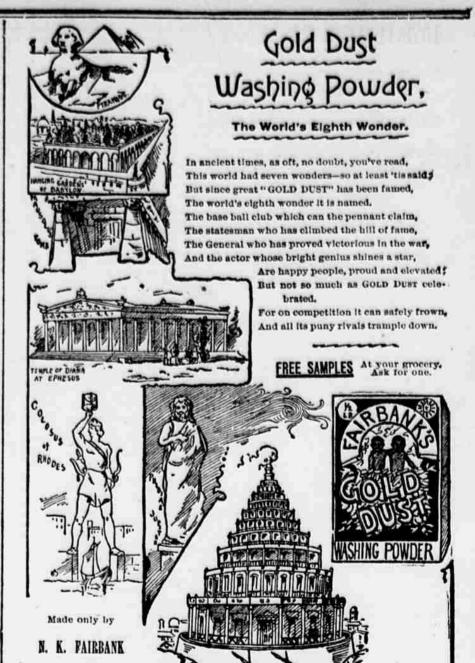
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